

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S839–S881

Measures Introduced: Thirty-one bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 876–906, and S. Res. 116. **Pages S859–60**

Measures Reported:

S. 277, to take certain land located in San Diego County, California, into trust for the benefit of the Pala Band of Mission Indians. (S. Rept. No. 118–2)

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Measures Passed:

Deep Vein Thrombosis and Pulmonary Embolism Awareness Month: Senate agreed to S. Res. 116, supporting the goals and ideals of “Deep Vein Thrombosis and Pulmonary Embolism Awareness Month”. **Page S874**

Fiscal Year 2023 Veterans Affairs Major Medical Facility Authorization Act: Senate passed S. 30, to authorize major medical facility projects for the Department of Veterans Affairs for fiscal year 2023, after agreeing to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute. **Pages S874–75**

Measures Considered:

Authorizations for Use of Military Force Against Iraq—Agreement: Senate began consideration of S. 316, to repeal the authorizations for use of military force against Iraq, after agreeing to the motion to proceed, and taking action on the following amendment proposed thereto: **Pages S841–47**

Pending:

Schumer Amendment No. 15, to add an effective date. **Page S847**

During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

By 67 yeas to 28 nays (Vote No. 63), Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill. **Page S847**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that at approximately 11 a.m., on Wednesday, March 22, 2023, Senate resume consideration of the nomination of Gordon P. Gallagher, of Colorado, to be United States District Judge for the District

of Colorado; that at 12 noon, Senate vote on confirmation of the nomination of Gordon P. Gallagher; and that at 2:15 p.m., Senate continue consideration of S. 316, to repeal the authorizations for use of military force against Iraq. **Page S875**

Appointments:

Advisory Committee on the Records of Congress: The Chair announced, on behalf of the Majority Leader, pursuant to Public Law 101–509, the reappointment of the following individual to serve as a member of the Advisory Committee on the Records of Congress: Denise A. Hibay of New York. **Page S874**

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Fara Damelin, of Virginia, to be Inspector General, Federal Communications Commission.

James J. Blanchard, of Michigan, to be a Member of the United States Advisory Commission on Public Diplomacy for a term expiring July 1, 2025.

Joel Ehrendreich, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Palau.

Kara C. McDonald, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Lithuania.

John Joseph Sullivan, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the United States Institute of Peace for a term of four years.

Loren E. Sweatt, of Virginia, to be a Member of the National Mediation Board for a term expiring July 1, 2023.

Loren E. Sweatt, of Virginia, to be a Member of the National Mediation Board for a term expiring July 1, 2026.

Tanya Monique Jones Bosier, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia for the term of fifteen years.

Danny Lam Hoan Nguyen, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia for the term of fifteen years.

Jeremy C. Daniel, of Illinois, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois.

Brendan Abell Hurson, of Maryland, to be United States District Judge for the District of Maryland.

Matthew James Maddox, of Maryland, to be United States District Judge for the District of Maryland.

Tara K. McGrath, of California, to be United States Attorney for the Southern District of California for the term of four years.

Eric G. Olshan, of Pennsylvania, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Pennsylvania for the term of four years.

Darrel James Papillion, of Louisiana, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Louisiana.

23 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

3 Marine Corps nominations in the rank of general.

3 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

A routine list in the Marine Corps. **Pages S880–81**

Measures Placed on the Calendar: **Pages S839, S858**

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Statements on Introduced Bills/Resolutions:

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Additional Statements:

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Amendments Submitted:

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Privileges of the Floor:

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—63) **Page S847**

Adjournment: Senate convened at 3:02 p.m. and adjourned at 7:25 p.m., until 11 a.m. on Wednesday, March 22, 2023. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S880.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 22 public bills, H.R. 1668–1689; and 6 resolutions, H. Res. 235–240, were introduced. **Pages H1300–01**

Additional Cosponsors: **Page H1302**

Reports Filed: There were no reports filed today.

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative McHenry to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H1299**

Presidential Veto Message—Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Labor relating to “Prudence and Loyalty in Selecting Plan Investments and Exercising Shareholder Rights”: Read a message from the President wherein he transmitted his Memorandum of Disapproval of H.J. Res. 30, providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Labor relating to “Prudence and Loyalty in Selecting Plan Investments and Exercising Shareholder Rights”, and explained his reasons therefore—ordered printed (H. Doc. 118–18).

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Without objection, the House postponed further consideration of the veto message and the joint resolution until the legislative day of March 23, 2023.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: There were no Yea and Nay votes, and there were no Recorded votes. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 5 p.m. and adjourned at 5:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, 2023

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates and justification for fiscal year 2024 for the Forest Service, 10 a.m., SD–124.